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Folks, regardless of rumours, setbacks, etc., Chautauqua still marches on. Plays April 4 and 5 Crossfield U. F. A. Hall, four performances.

It is sponsored by the District Board of Trade, programmes under direction of the Crossfield Dramatic Society. Get your tickets now at Bannister Electric while the choice is good, last years popular prices still prevail.

### 1st Afternoon

(a) Vaudeville Varieties.  
(b) James Rintoul, Lyric Tenor.  
(c) Educational Films.

(A) Comprises local Artists in a programme that is novel, new, and scintillating, amusing, interesting, entertainment superb.

(B) James Rintoul, Tenor, an outstanding Artist of real merit, whose voice is at present to be heard over CFAC twice weekly, and who comes to us through the good offices of the C. D. S. President. Mr. Rintoul created a great impression with his listeners in Crossfield on January 26th, and for that reason Chautauqua brings him back once again.

(c) Through the offices of some good friends of the Board in Calgary, several educational films will be shown, and should be seen by all both young and old. Do you know what radio tubes are made of? Do you know what Electricity is? Come April 4th and learn. Teachers, parents come and bring the children, an educational feature that should be seen by everyone.

### 1st Evening

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### 2nd Evening

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Remember if its for the good of the district the Board of Trade is for it, support the organization, that boosts your community in many ways, by attending Chautauqua.

This is your reporter saying "CHIN, CHIN" and hopin' to see ya next week at all the shows.

Yours,  
Oliver

## Coming Events

Crossfield Local Chautauqua, Thursday and Friday, April 4 and 5.

The regular monthly meeting of the Legion will be held on Saturday.

Shareholders meeting of the Crossfield Mutual Telephone Co. will be held in the U. F. A. Hall on Thursday, March 28.

The W. A. of the Anglican Church will hold an Easter Tea and Sale of home cooking in the Home Cafe on Saturday afternoon April 13th.

Grand Dance in the East Community Hall on Friday night of this week. Good music and the usual good time.

Motor car licenses will be reduced on Saturday, March 30 and can be secured at the post office. No reductions on A and B Truck licenses.

The annual meeting of the Crossfield U. F. A. Local will be held in the U. F. A. hall at 2.30 p.m. Saturday, April 6th.

### LAW FOR McFADYEN

Chicago — Donnie McFadyen, Chicago Black Hawk winger, is the only two-degree man in the National Hockey League. He soon will be starting a law practice in Chicago. McFadyen is a graduate in arts of Marquette University and also has a degree from the University of Chicago law school. He is a native of Crossfield, Alberta.

John Milton Williams of Calgary, brother of J. M. Williams of Crossfield, died at Calgary on March 25. The late Mr. Williams was a pioneer resident of Alberta and until his retirement a few years ago, had been engaged in the livestock business.

## George Kimzey Injured When Saddle Horse Falls

George Kimzey, well known old-timer, residing west of Crossfield, met with a painful accident on Sunday evening, when the horse he was riding slipped and fell throwing him heavily to the ground. Although suffering intense pain, from the fall which injured his hips, Kimzey grappled himself to the Simon Cameron home, a quarter of a mile from the scene of the accident. This feat took him four hours, but we are pleased to advise that under Dr. Whillan's care, Mr. Kimzey is progressing favourably.

### Local News

R. T. Amery returned on Saturday from Walla Walla, Wash.

Miss Lillie Johnson spent the week-end with friends in Calgary.

Mrs. A. Cruickshank spent several days last week visiting her sister-in-law at Calgary.

The closing out sale of Halliday & Co.'s gent's furnishings is in full swing. It's a real bargain feast.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Clark and family of Calgary were the guests of Mayor and Mrs. Wood's on Sunday.

Jeff Young of Macleod, spent the week-end at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. W. McKory.

Walter Hurt unloaded another carload of Elephant Brand Fertilizer on Wednesday.

Farmers are hiring men for spring work hoping to get on the land in another week. The weather remains cold.

Mrs. Wm. Urquhart and Miss Mary Urquhart are spending the week with Mrs. E. Bishop in Calgary.

Miss Marian and Lois Longmire took part in the Miss Pearce piano recital at the Palliser Hotel, Calgary, on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Beauregard of Medicine Hat were visitors at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Fred Pfeut last week.

Mrs. W. McRory returned on Saturday from Macleod, where she has been visiting her daughter for the past two months.

Mrs. Wm. Wood entertained a number of friends on Sunday evening on the occasion of Mr. Wood's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. King of Carlsbad, were visitors at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Longmire the first of the week.

A. Larson of Dog Pound was a visitor in town on Monday and paid his subscription to the Chronicle for another year.

BORN — At the Mrs. Collins' Nursing Home on March 27th, to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Butler of Botrel, a daughter.

R. Smiley of the Madden district, suffered a broken leg on Sunday when his saddle horse slipped and fell on him.

Miss Jean Whillans who has been visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. D. W. Whillans, for the past three weeks left today (Thursday) for Toronto.

Dick Roberts of Calgary was renewing acquaintances in town on Friday last. The Hon. Dick is still in the old racket of buying and selling horses.

Billy Pines has given up the idea of going back to the farm, he has rented the place to a couple of foreigners, and will devote his time to seeing that they do the work.

Everett Bills was a visitor at Cremona on Sunday. He claims that the natives in that region are at least 99 per cent. for Social Credit.

Miss Daisy Robinson has purchased a lot from Dr. McFadyen on Osler Street and will move a dwelling in from the country and make her home here.

Tiller combines or one way disc seeders are they are commonly called are becoming popular in this part of the country, Jim Williams, Massey Harris agent, sold four recently, the purchasers were: George Jones, McCaskill Bros., L. B. Beddoes, and Stone Bros.

The Rebekah card party on Monday night was not very well attended, but those who turned out had a very pleasant time. Winners at bridge were: Mrs. M. Thomas and A. Heywood; consolation prizes going to Mrs. W. Landymore, and H. McCaskill. Winners at court whist were: Mrs. Calhoun and W. Wood; consolation winners: Mrs. W. Wood and Jas. Belshaw.

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## JAPAN TEA

### Is Democracy A Failure?

Articles appearing in this column from week to week have, over a considerable period of time, had two main objectives,—to convey information and to provoke constructive thought on the part of the reader. At the same time an earnest endeavor has been made to refrain from discussion of questions which are the subject of partisan political controversy or of sharp differences of opinion arising out of racial or religious views. In the present disturbed state of the world, when practically every financial, economic and social question has become part and parcel of some political creed it is no easy matter for any writer, unless he confines himself to meaningless platitudes, not to appear to take sides and express views which others may interpret as somewhat partisan in character one way or another. Notwithstanding this difficulty an honest effort has been made in this column to steer clear of partisanship while at the same time in discussing matters of public interest to give some point and value to these articles.

The writer is firmly convinced that what is needed at all times, and never more so than at present, is adherence to well grounded sound principles, the dissemination of accurate information, and clear constructive thinking on the part of each individual citizen. A demagogue may be clever and interesting and able to sway a mob, but he is not a safe and constructive leader and a mob is a dangerous thing.

This week we propose to submit a few questions, but do not intend to answer them. The main object is to have the reader answer them for himself or herself; in other words, do their own thinking. General Hugh S. Johnson, until recently director of Roosevelt's NRA programme, stated the other day that "democracy is the best government in the world for peace and prosperity, but it is the worst government in the world for a great war or a great crisis." Is this true, and if it is true what does such a statement or situation imply? Does it mean that democracy as a system of government is right, but that the people who constitute the democracy, and therefore the government, are unreliable and cannot be trusted? Is it the system or the people who are weak? Does it mean that when things are proceeding smoothly and the people have a minimum of worries, they are careless, thoughtless, indifferent? Does it mean that when a crisis develops these same people become panic stricken, emotional and reckless, ready to act precipitately without taking thought of the ultimate consequences of their action?

Does General Johnson's statement, if true, imply that the nations of the world should abandon democracy as a system of government and revert to more autocratic and dictatorial forms of government, thereby relinquishing the political freedom which is now theirs, and entrusting to such more autocratic governments full control at all times, in peace and prosperity as well as in times of war, emergency and crisis?

If democracy is not to be abandoned, and we are not to accept Communism, Fascism, Socialism, or other forms of government which involve abandonment of existing democratic political rights and freedom, how is democracy to be made safe for the world at all times, because it cannot be thrown into the discard in times of trouble and emergency and resurrected and made to function efficiently the moment the crisis passes?

It will be admitted that with the coming of what has been termed the Industrial Revolution of the Nineteenth Century, human society was completely reorganized. The worker has risen from his old feudal state and there has been an extraordinary rise in wage levels and living standards. With this rise of the economic status of the worker there has been an even more pronounced rise in his social and political status. Public schools, newspapers, labor unions, and the influence of wage-earners as consumers have established the political power of the workers and primary producers. The universal ballot without property or educational qualification, have given control of government to the masses of the people.

Commenting on this development a professor of economics in one of the great American universities has written: "Here lies the danger of jury to progress. This power has been obtained, naturally enough, in advance of economic knowledge. Visionary theorists and self-seeking politicians may guide it along the wrong path. Nobody wants to throw back this tide of democracy. Nobody can. But it needs to learn self-control and to gain understanding. It has neither at present."

In this professor of economics right? Is democracy endangered by lack of self-control and understanding on the part of those very people who have the most to lose and suffer if democracy is lost to the world, and who have the most to gain and enjoy if democracy is maintained and made to function in times of emergency and crisis as well as in times of peace and prosperity? In a word, are our present political rights and power under democracy to be unthinkingly utilized in a time of stress and emergency to overthrow and destroy democracy itself? Are we going to prove the truth of General Johnson's observation that democracy is not a safe system in times of crisis?

How can people be taught self-control in times of emergency? How can the tendency to panic be overcome? How can understanding be given to the masses so that they will refrain from panic and exercise self-control and thus overcome the danger of the "tyranny of the disastrous action"? How, when there are always demagogues, agitators, self-seekers whether in politics or other spheres, ever ready to inflame and mislead the masses, are these masses of voters who to-day control all governments, going to be educated to think for themselves, refrain from being influenced by mob psychology, and exercise self-control through the obtaining of sound knowledge and an understanding of basic irrefutable principles?

Is the task too great for democracy, that is, for mankind itself? Or must mankind revert to the state from which it has struggled upward through the centuries and make confession that, being incapable of self-government in the mass, there is only one thing to do and that is to repossess its trust and place the power which the masses now possess in the hands of a few to exercise full power, direction and control over them? Finally, if this is done, will the masses remain content to have it so, or will the old struggle of man be commenced all over again?

This is the acute problem facing the world to-day? Democracy itself must and will answer it. Will that answer be for its own preservation, or will it be for self-destruction?

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### Bells Rang Electrically

#### Italian Villagers Looked For Miracle Until Mystery Solved

When they heard the bells of the little church of Santa San Pietro ringing for a number of days last night, apparently by themselves, the villagers of Luca, Italy, thought it portended a miracle. The clappers of the bells were tied and the parish priest locked the bell tower and put the key in his pocket. But still the bells went on ringing. Finally the local electrician discovered the bells were being rung electrically as the overhead wire for the tramway line between Luca and Maggiano had come into contact with the belfry. Now the villagers are able to sleep again.

## DOUBLED UP WITH RHEUMATISM

### Could Not Wash Himself Nor Brush His Hair

So bad was his rheumatism that his friends declared he would never work again. Although he is 70 years old, he proved they were wrong. Read what he says:—

"I am seventy years of age. Last Christmas I was completely doubled up with rheumatism. I could not brush my hair nor wash myself. People said I should never work any more. I am working harder than a young man to-day. Thanks, many thanks, to Kruschen Salts. I take them in my tea, and I have recommended them to many. I could not get in or out of bed myself, nor sit up. But see me now—12 hours a day sometimes. Kruschen Salts have done it."—G. J.

Rheumatic conditions are the result of an excess of uric acid in the body. Two of the ingredients of Kruschen Salts have the power of dissolving uric acid crystals. Other ingredients assist Nature to expel these dissolved crystals through the natural channel. In addition, there are still other salts in Kruschen which prevent food fermentation in the intestines, and thereby check the further accumulation, not only of uric acid, but of other body poisons which undermine the health.

### Left Estate To Servants

#### Chauffeur, Cook, And Maid Inherit Mansion Of Mistress

A chauffeur and his wife, a cook and an "upstairs girl" are mistresses and mistresses of an estate at Newton, Mass., in which a few days ago they were servants.

The will of their late employer, Mrs. Jessie A. Goddard, 80, left them the steady mansion to do with as they saw fit.

Heirs to the estate were William Wilson, for 25 years Mrs. Goddard's chauffeur; his wife, Annie; Miss Margaret Macaulay, cook; and Miss Jane Douglas, maid.

Other bequests, totalling \$200,000, were distributed to friends, former servants, charities, churches and distant relatives.

## SWEARS TO TRUTH OF STATEMENT

Mr. Sam Sansone, 44 Front Street, Toronto, tells a reversal of the old Fruit-tives brought lasting relief after he had suffered badly from indigestion. He wants other sufferers to be helped as he was. That is why he gives a statement of his experience. And in order that everyone should be convinced of its absolute truth Mr. Sansone made his statement out on oath before a notary. In part it reads:—"For a long time I suffered badly from indigestion. I tried everything but I continued to get worse. A friend of mine recommended Fruit-tives. After taking them, it was not long before I was entirely well and could eat anything without pain or after effects."

Copy of Mr. Sansone's complete sworn statement will be sent on request. Write Fruit-tives—25c and 50c everywhere.

### Cheerful Factors

#### Moderate Improvement Shown Is Expected To Continue

"The moderate improvement reported a year ago may be expected to continue," the fourth annual "Farm Outlook for Saskatchewan" prepared by Dr. William Allen and Professor E. C. Hope of the department of farm management of the University of Saskatchewan, predicted. Wheat doubtful but more likely to rise than decline, some improvement over last year in prices for beef cattle, dairy cows and butter, rising prices for sheep and work horses, and a rise in wool towards the end of the year, are some of the cheerful factors indicated.

Pillars for the new Golden Gate bridge in San Francisco bay are half an average city block in size and rest on the bottom of the bay.

Golden eagles fly faster than two miles a minute. 2081.

### Was Nobel Prize Winner

#### Prof. MacLeod, Co-Discoverer Of Insulin, Dies In Scotland

Prof. John James Rickard MacLeod, 58, co-discoverer of insulin, who spent a number of years teaching at the University of Toronto and the Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio, died recently at Aberdeen, Scotland.

With Sir Frederick Banting of the University of Toronto, Prof. MacLeod was awarded the Nobel prize in medicine for the insulin achievement in 1923.

Prof. MacLeod returned to Aberdeen seven years ago to take the chair of physiology at Aberdeen University.

Lives of thousands were saved by the insulin treatment for diabetes which Sir Frederick, Professor MacLeod and Dr. Charles H. Best developed.

Prof. MacLeod was born at Cluny, near Dundee, Scotland, son of Robert MacLeod, and was educated at the Aberdeen Grammar school, and at Marischal College, Aberdeen. After a short period of post-graduate study in London and on the continent, he came to the United States. At the age of 27 he was appointed professor of physiology at the Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio.

### Using Sun For Cooking

#### Solar Heat Collector Shown At Meeting Of Scientists

A device for making the sun do a part of man's work was shown to the American Association for the Advancement of Science at the beginning of its winter meeting in Pittsburgh. It is a solar heat collector which, in twenty minutes, develops temperature in excess of 400 degrees Fahrenheit. The inventor is the secretary of the Smithsonian Institution, Dr. C. G. Abbot. The device can be used for ordinary cooking purposes. Dr. Abbot has been using it on Mount Wilson (California) for the generation of steam for power. It is hoped that ultimately it can be made to drive large steam engines at a practicable cost.

The apparatus employs a number of small mirrors fixed at right angles to the earth's axis and mounted on a frame which will turn on an axle parallel to the earth's axis. There are a number of tubes filled with black oil protected from loss of heat by double vacuum jackets. These transmit the collected heat to a reservoir of oil, and into this reservoir ovens are inserted for cooking purposes or a tubular boiler for generating steam.

### Handles Letters Quickly

#### Robot Sorter Has Been Tested At Brighton, England

In future, most letter-sorting may be entrusted to a machine capable of handling letters three times as quickly as by hand. This robot sorter, which has been tried out at Brighton, is like a huge typewriter. Letters pass into it on a running belt. When the practised eye of the operator sees Leeds, for instance, he presses the Leeds key, when Glasgow, the Glasgow key, and these letters automatically fall into their proper receptacle. It is to be hoped, for the peace of mind of the operator, that there is a receptacle for the doubtful class which requires a handwriting expert.

Cattle exported from Canada to Great Britain in 1935, from January 1 to February 21, numbered 4,781.

Approximately 50,000 Canadian farmers and other land owners are in the maple sugar business.

Germany, Scotland and England are all waging war on muskrats.

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### Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

#### PEANUT BUTTER WHIRLS

2 cups (½ pound) vanilla wafer crumbs  
¼ teaspoon vanilla  
Sweetened condensed milk (approximately 7 tablespoons)  
½ cup peanut butter.

Roll vanilla wafers to crumbs and add flavoring. Add ¼ cup sweetened condensed milk, blending thoroughly. Add remaining sweetened condensed milk, a spoonful at a time, until mixture becomes thick paste. Pat out flat on wax paper (in an oblong ten inches by six inches) and let stand until surface dries a little (15 minutes). Spread with peanut butter and roll up like a small jelly roll. Chill. Serve, cut in thin slices. Makes 1½ dozen.

#### SWISS STEAK

2 pounds round or sirloin steak cut 2 inches thick  
½ cup flour, mix with salt and pepper  
¼ cup ham or bacon drippings  
Few slices onion  
½ green pepper, chopped fine  
2 cups boiling water or 1 cup water and 1 cup strained tomatoes.

Pound flour into meat with wooden potato masher or edge of heavy plate. Heat the fat. Brown the meat on each side in it. Add onion, green pepper, boiling water and tomato. Cover closely. Simmer two hours. This may be cooked in a casserole in the oven. Other vegetables may be added if desired.

After a specimen of the Black Widow, the only known poisonous spider in North America had been found in a tomato field at Summerland, British Columbia, other specimens were forwarded to the provincial entomologist from many interior points in the province, including Nelson, Trail, Nakusp, and from Enderby south to the international boundary.

For the first seven weeks of 1935 shipments of livestock from Western to Eastern Canada included 4,955 cattle; 271 calves; 35,293 hogs, and 16,625 sheep.

### Royalty Needs A Passport

Only King And Queen Exempt From Carrying One

It is not generally known that during his visits to the Continent, the Prince of Wales carries a passport just like any other traveller. But so well known is His Royal Highness across the Channel that rarely is he asked to produce it. Having regard to the number of miles he has travelled with it, since it was first issued to him, it is probably been viewed less than any other of similar age. The only members of our Royal Family who are exempt from carrying a passport are the King and Queen, and of the others, the Duke of Connaught has made more frequent use of his than any other British royalty. This he uses chiefly for his annual visit to his villa in the South of France, but, like the Prince, his Royal Highness is now so well known to all the officials with whom he is brought into contact during his journeys through France that it is but rarely that he is asked to submit it for inspection. Though all rulers are exempt from the necessity of carrying passports one who is still a sovereign de jure was recently held up for his. This was a few months ago in Switzerland when King Alfonso was unrecognized by an official, who insisted upon detaining him until he could obtain someone who could vouch for his identity; which happened to be a matter of some little time, since he was in a district where he was comparatively unknown.

The blind of York, England, are to be given free rides on trolleys and buses.

## CHILDREN'S CONSTIPATION Ended!

Mrs. H. T. Rowson, Athens, Ont., writes, "My baby boy was troubled with constipation. I gave him Baby's Own Tablets as directed . . . Before I had given half the box the constipation was righted." By relieving constipation, Baby's Own Tablets prevent more serious ailments developing. Much easier to take than nauseating laxatives and perfectly safe for all little folk from the wee babe to children of school age. 25c package.

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## WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Reunion of Toronto survivors of the Northwest rebellion in 1885 has been planned for July 26.

Lord Edward Montagu, young British nobleman who is determined to lead "a life of adventure," was said by friends to be planning to join the Spanish foreign legion.

The Quebec government's \$10,000,000 plan, "to promote colonization and return to the land," received third reading by a 41-8 vote in the Quebec legislative assembly.

Amendments to the British Columbia Hours of Work Act to provide a six-hour day and 36-hour working week were defeated in the province.

Former Premier Eleutherios Venizelos, leader of the unsuccessful Greek revolt, forecasts policies of the present Greek government would lead to restoration of the monarchy.

When it comes to fighting a duel, J. E. Pageot, Montreal restaurant owner, prefers soda bottles to revolvers any time. Pageot routed a bandit by laying down a barrage of soda bottles.

A thoroughbred Great Dane, Sax of Cairnania, will leave York Mills within the next two weeks to become guard for the Dionne Quintuplets' hospital at Callander, Ont. Mrs. George Hylop is making the presentation.

Possibility of distillation of fuel alcohol from surplus low-grade potatoes will be studied and representations made to the provincial government by Edmonton District Market Gardeners' Association, that body has decided.

Soviet authorities announced the arrest of 1,074 members of the old aristocracy and old moneyed class. Some of them, it was said, will be tried for "activities against the state in behalf of foreign countries," while the rest will be exiled to the eastern reaches of the Soviet Union.

## To Suppress Crime

United States Enforcement Agencies Make Widespread Drive On Law Violators

A total of 1,219 arrests was reported by United States treasury law enforcement agencies as a result of a coast-to-coast drive against law violators.

Narcotic peddlers and addicts, smugglers, counterfeiters, liquor tax evaders, violators of every law for which the treasury holds enforcement responsibility, were rounded up the country over.

## Thanks Anyway

Uncle John came to stay, and before he left he gave his nephew a pound note. "Now, be careful with that money, Tommy," said. "Remember the saying, 'A fool and his money are soon parted'." "Yes, uncle," replied Tommy, "but I want to thank you for parting with it, just the same."

One-thirteenth of an individual's body weight consists of blood.

## WHEN YOUR DAUGHTER COMES TO WOMANHOOD

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## Little Journeys In Science

### PETROLEUM

(By Gordon H. Guest, M.A.)

Petroleum consists chiefly of a mixture of compounds known as hydrocarbons. It is found in large quantities in California, in Oklahoma, in Russia, Mexico, the Dutch East Indies, Galicia, Persia, and Rumania. In 1929 the world's production of crude petroleum was about 1,000,000,000 barrels.

Crude oil is trapped in what the geologist calls an anticline, which is a sort of inverted bowl of clay or shale, and is reached by drilling wells. The first oil well in America was dug by Colonel Drake at Titusville, Pennsylvania, in 1859.

Russian petroleum is found in and around Baku, near the Caspian Sea. History tells us that as far back as 600 B.C. "the eternal fires of Baku" attracted the fire-worshippers.

Petroleum is separated into various products by a process known as fractional distillation. The compounds which make up petroleum boil at different temperatures, and hence they can be separated by distillation. One fraction comes off as a vapour at a certain temperature, and is collected in the receiver of the still. When most of this fraction has been boiled off the temperature is increased, and another receiver placed in the still to collect this fraction of the petroleum.

Petroleum contains gases in solution, such as methane (marsh gas) and ethane. When the crude oil is heated chiefly these gases are driven off and used as fuel and for the manufacture of carbon-black, which is of value in the rubber industry.

The temperature is slowly increased and liquids which are known as naphthas come off. These are used extensively as motor fuel and as a solvent. Kerosene (coal-oil) comes off next and is used as an illuminant and a fuel.

After the kerosene is distilled off, lubricating oils and paraffin are obtained. The paraffin is used extensively in the still is used as artificial asphalt and as a source of a light, porous coke.

## How Lessons Are Learned

Valuable Experience Is Gained Through Mistakes We Make

There is something to be said for the fool who steps in where angels fear to tread. At least he learns a lesson which will make him less of a fool than he was before. The man who never makes a mistake never makes anything. It is far better to appear ridiculous a few times and thereby gain experience, than it is to hide all our lives behind a false modesty, and while maintaining an outward appearance of wisdom, remain fools to our death. Probably Blake had this thought in mind when he wrote: "If the fool would persist in his folly he would become wise."—O. T. Miller.

It is estimated that hundreds of tons of sugar are wasted annually in the bottom of teacups. This terrible disclosure will cause a big stir in Aberdeen.

## Workers' Rights

Need Of Amicable Arrangements Between Masters And Men

Acceptance of the workers' right to live comfortably and participate in their part of the direction of industry was set forth by one of the foremost figures in Canada's mineral industry as tantamount to preservation of existing social and industrial fabrics.

Selwyn Gwilym Blaylock, vice-president and general manager of the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Co., Trail, B.C., invited 800 members of the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy to study the "co-operative committee" system his company has substituted for trade unionism.

Declaring government labor legislation and state-controlled industry quite inadequate, the president of the

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**FEEL**

## Bad For Human Nature

If People Feel No Responsibility For Troubles Of Others

Time was when the misfortune of a neighbor down the street a bit was a matter of concern to the household. On baking morning an extra loaf of bread or an extra pie would be cooked and sent round to the home where the head of the house was laid off or the mother was sick, with kindly hopes that things would be better soon. If things were serious, it was not looked upon as anything extraordinary for someone, after a day's work, to volunteer to spend the night sitting up and tending to the invalid neighbor. To the trained district worker all this sort of thing may seem to be a desperately amateur bungling way of dealing with a crisis but no one dreamed of thinking that a bowl of soup sent in to the sick family was to be classed a "relief."

Of course the extraordinary conditions of the last few years have forced some form of organized assistance upon the community, but it would be a bad thing for human nature if the sense of private responsibility for the troubles that lie next door were smothered under the formalities of organized public assistance. Should this expression of human nature be crushed out, the loss to humanity in general would be incalculable. — Fort William Times-Journal.

## Just A Myth

Sharks are afraid of man and will not attack him unless cornered or first attacked. This is the opinion of Dr. Clinton L. Baker, biology professor at Northwestern University, Memphis, Tennessee. The educator said man-eating sharks are a myth, declaring that like lions, they will never attack without provocation.

The number of hogs graded in Canada for the first eight weeks of 1935 was 473,011. During the corresponding eight weeks of 1934 the number was 127,324.

New Zealand was the principal source of butter imported into the United Kingdom during 1934, supplanting Denmark as the premier exporter.

Institute stressed the need of amicable arrangements between employers and employees to put industry and commerce on a sound basis.

Mr. Blaylock's address featured the closing day of the institute's three-day meeting in Winnipeg. Mr. Blaylock was presented a platinum medal for his "outstanding contribution" to the mineral industry.

Employers did not monopolize the brains of the country but the average brain of the artisan was "fully equal, if not superior, to the average of the rest of the world." Industry and every phase of life would function more fairly and make better progress if the brains of both classes were pooled in the friendliest possible co-operation.—And the best way I know of accomplishing this is through "co-operative committees."

Mr. Blaylock outlined the co-operative plan in effect at the Trail, B.C., smelter.

## YOUR HANDWRITING REVEALS YOUR CHARACTER!

By LAWRENCE HIBBERT  
(Grapho-Analyst)  
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(Editor's Note: This series of articles on Character from Handwriting continues to attract wide interest and many readers are taking advantage of the author's offer to get a personal character delineation. You still have an opportunity of getting yours.)

I have a letter from a married woman who asks my advice on a problem that is cropping up quite often nowadays. Here is what she says: "I am a married woman in my middle thirties, and have two young children. My husband lost his position about a year ago, and has not been able to get new employment. Although we had some money saved up, we have had a difficult time making ends meet, and I got to a point where I am utterly fed-up with the situation. Before I married I held a good position, and now I find that I can get my old work back again, but not so good a salary—enough, at any rate, for us to get along on. However, for some time, my husband and myself have not been getting along very well. We bicker on the slightest pretext, and I am seriously wondering whether to leave him, and take a place of my own. I don't really see why I should be the one to work and keep the home going, while my husband idles. What do you suggest?"

I haven't given the letter in full, but merely the salient points. Now turning to the two specimens of handwriting, I find firstly that the specimen of the woman who writes to me, shows that she is very self-contained, even to the point of being self-sufficient. She is only her own master. She is shrewd, a quick-thinker, and is extremely intelligent. She is a bit of a nag, and is like a nag, and affects every other trait in her character. She simply cannot think of anyone other than herself. On the other hand, her husband's writing shows more tolerance and affection. He is more kind and is straightforward, honest, loyal and is capable of getting things done. Perhaps not particularly intellectual, but steady.

It seems to me, in the first place, that these bickering have been going on for some time. The wife's part for her husband's inability to get work. This is unfortunate, for the wife's correspondent is taking a rather one-sided point of view, with which I cannot have much sympathy. They are to-day's days, and many men, similar to the writer's husband, are unable to obtain work, not for want of trying. He like many others, is the victim of circumstances entirely beyond his control.

Instead of finding fault with him, and taking every opportunity to criticize, she is to be very sympathetic and tolerant. However, her lack of sympathy is clearly shown in her writing.

As to her to her to take the work, and continue living with her husband and family, at the same time modifying her outlook as regards her husband. She would find, in all probability, that a more kind and tolerant attitude would open up greater effort to obtain work of some kind.

To the husband, I suggest that, if it is impossible to get anything in his own line of work, at least he try something else, a selling or canvassing job. Anything to keep himself busy, and help to retain his self-respect and esteem.

I have given rather unusual prominence to this letter this week, because it is a type of problem I am appearing quite often, and it would certainly seem that there are some wives who are content to be cheerful and friendly when things are going alright, but immediately disaster hits the home, they become unkind and unloving. It is a pity that many of these women are so unkind and unloving. They are going alright, but immediately disaster hits the home, they become unkind and unloving. It is a pity that many of these women are so unkind and unloving.

I am happy to add that there are by far the majority of women who are not like this, but in those cases where it is so, a good deal of unhappiness and trouble could be saved by mutual understanding of the difficulties to be contended with.

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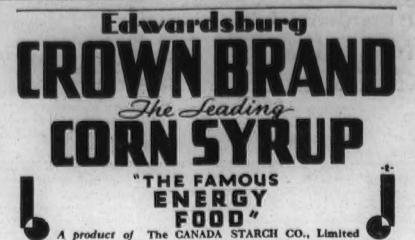
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## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

MARCH 31

LESSONS FROM THE LETTERS OF PETER

Golden text: Grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. II Peter 3:18.

Lesson: I Peter 5:1-11; II Peter 3:1-18.

Devotional Reading: Isaiah 55:6-13.

## Explanations And Comments

**Through Antagonisms to Perfection.** Peter's advice to "Humble yourselves under the strong hand of God then, so that when it is time, he may exalt you, for his interest is in you (Moffatt's translation). The last clause in the Greek reads literally, "because he has you in his heart."

Be sober, be watchful. "See to it that you are not intoxicated, drugged into any perilous stupor. Keep your head clear. Be collected. Now the apostle is writing to men and women who are professing the followers of Jesus Christ; and I think there are two perils in the religious life which have their issue in moral stupor. We can lose our senses in excitement, and we can lose them in sleep. There are perils in sensationalism, and there are perils in an encroaching drowsiness. There is an excessive materialism which is the peril of all revivals. And there is the moral stupor which is the issue of a growing indifference."

Your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about, seeking whom he may devour. "I think there is something very suggestive in the figures employed by the Bible to describe the approaches of the powers of evil and night. The devil has a fairly extensive wardrobe, but his common and more familiar guise is that of a serpent—a serpent, an angel of light, and a roaring lion. It is in one or the other of these three shapes that the forces of sin most frequently assail us. They come in the guise of the serpent. They beguile our senses. They pervert our judgment. They enchant our imaginations. We are fascinated, bewitched, paralyzed by the influence of sin. He comes also in the guise of an angel of light! He would transform a haloed truth to light and flippant presumption. And the devil also comes as a roaring lion. When the apostle wrote this letter the lion was about; Nero was at work; the Christians were being hunted unto death, in the attempt at stamping out their faith and devotion to the Man of Nazareth, their Saviour and their Lord!" (J. M. Jowett).

**Neither Of Them Won**

Cat And Snake Fought Duel And Both Died

A large cat and a six-foot snake fought a terrific duel on a farm at Leeton, New South Wales—and they both lost. Suddenly coming across the snake, the cat circled round it warily and then slashed at it with its claws.

The pair rolled in the grass, the cat clawing, spitting and biting. After fighting desperately for some minutes, the snake relaxed its pressure. It was dead. The cat staggered away a few yards and then collapsed. In a few minutes it had died, too.

## Free Entry Until November

Poultry and dairy products from Canada, under the terms of the Ottawa agreements, are given unrestricted free entry into the United Kingdom until November 1935, after which the British government in consultation with the Dominion governments concerned has the right to bring these products within a system for regulating supplies from all sources.

**New Plane Tested**

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## Making Trains Noiseless

England's Pneumatic Railcar Comes Very Near Success

Noiseless travel by train is the latest novelty in the campaign for the abatement of unnecessary noise, and people who watched a certain train slide out of Euston station, London, one day recently might almost have imagined it a phantom passenger carrier. It was the quietest train that ever ran on a British railway—so quiet that permanent-way workers did not hear it until the engine whistled them out of the way. Folks on wayside stations merely heard a swish of air as it passed.

The train was the new Coventry Pneumatic Railcar on the London, Midland and Scottish railway, running on pneumatic tires and to its 10 wheels. Noise was banished except for the rush of the wind and the faint hum of the 12-cylinder, petrol engine.

Railways for years have been trying to find a light and economical unit for branch lines, and for intermediate services in populous districts. They have been fighting weight and noise. This railcar looks like the nearest approach to success.

## Have Digestive Troubles?

Dr. W. T. Frier, 398 Hunter St., W., Hamilton, has offered from catarrh of the stomach, indigestion, flatulence, and very little and that would cause a great deal of trouble. I, because very much was able to gain weight and resumed my work. All druggists.

## New Style Torpedo

Invention Of Italian Scientists Does Not Warn Of Approach

A torpedo which gives its victims not even the present momentary warning of its approach is to be added to the submarine terror of the next war. Two Italian scientists have produced a torpedo which leaves no track. The motive power is ammonia gas, which dissolves instantly in water. Present day torpedoes, driven by compressed air, leave a tell-tale track of air bubbles. These can be sighted at a distance and the victim is thus given a slight chance of manoeuvring out of danger.



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## Sees Large Tourist Business

Banner Year Predicted By Official Of Travel Bureau

Prediction 1935 would be a banner tourist year with business approximating the \$309,000,000 peak year of 1929 was made by D. Leo Dolan, director of the Canadian Travel Bureau, Ottawa, in addressing the Advertising Club of Montreal.

The tourist dollar was the "healthiest money" the Dominion could hope to receive this year and in the years to come, he said, as it increased general employment and made possible greater distribution of the products of the farm and stream.

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## FOR DISTINGUISHED SERVICE

As the annual award for distinguished service to the Canadian mineral industry, the medal of pure Canadian platinum shown above, was made to S. J. Blaylock, noted Canadian mining executive of Trail, B.C. The first of the platinum medals, designed by the famous sculptor, Tait McKenzie, was struck at the Royal Mint in Ottawa.



## HEDGINGS ON WHEAT MARKET NOT DISCLOSED

Ottawa. — The sceptre-like wheat operations of John I. McFarland, head of the central selling agency for the Canadian wheat pools, remained as mysterious as ever when Hon. Wesley Gordon, minister of labor, said it would be inadvisable to disclose the wins and losses of the government-backed money in the Winnipeg pit.

Early in the day the house gave second reading in the 1935 relief bill, 103-62, passed it through committee stage and added third reading without dissent.

Western Liberals led the fight to induce the government to disclose results of its hedging operations in the wheat market which have been directed by McFarland, minister of labor, said it would be inadvisable to disclose the wins and losses of the government-backed money in the Winnipeg pit.

"I think," the labor minister told the house, "if any one is in the market, whether short or long, that it would be a most undesirable thing to advise the world and others in the market the exact position of any considerable trader."

The government, Mr. Gordon continued, entered the wheat market to stabilize prices through guarantees to the Canadian Co-operative Wheat Producers Ltd. He believed that had been accomplished and support for the market would have to be continued. But at the moment it would be unwise to disclose wheat holdings and prices paid.

The labor minister said lump sums will be paid again this year to provinces to finance direct relief with municipalities. The system was inaugurated this year and although some provinces were dissatisfied with the cash settlements, the minister believed it had worked well.

### Check Soil Drifting

United States To Take Measures To Control Dust Storms

Washington.—A combined drive by seven United States government agencies to fasten the midwest's rich farm soil against the swoop of dust storms was determined upon.

Even as it was decided to concentrate the soil-anchoring campaign under the department of agriculture, the dark outsiders of the most recent dirt storm still hung over part of the mid and southwest.

Secretaries Harold Ickes and Henry Wallace, operating jointly, determined to transfer the soil erosion service of the department of interior and a portion of the civilian conservation corps working on soil erosion to the agriculture department. There they will form part of an entirely new organization to deal with various phases of the soil erosion problem.

Although dust storms still whirled high and wide over the mid and southwest, stifling conditions had abated over most of the area. Damage of the dust was beyond estimation of crop experts at present. At Arkansas City, Kansas, prayers for rain were offered.

The agriculture department hurried to press, meanwhile, with an emergency bulletin on methods of checking and preventing wind erosion of soil.

Dr. Charles S. Kellogg, acting chief of the soil survey of the bureau of chemistry and soils, recommended to farmers a study of their soils, use of special type of plow and cultivators, planting of shelter belts, more carefully planned crop rotation and better control of grazing.

Suggestions from other agencies included the planting of some cover crop, such as grain sorghum, milo maize or kafir corn.

### Faces Extradition

Manchester, N.Y.—United States Commissioner Charles D. Barnard announced a finding against Captain Freeman Hatfield, whose extradition has been sought by the Canadian government to answer charges of defrauding the Dominion of \$71,000 in war reparations claims. Commissioner Barnard said he would recommend Hatfield's extradition.

### Airport Sites At Coast

Ottawa.—The government has acquired seven sites in British Columbia for air service purposes. Minister of Defence George Stirling told a questioner in the House of Commons.

## Cost Of Canadian Legation

Expenses Of Uplift Of Legation At Washington Are Announced

Ottawa.—Hon. W. D. Herridge, Canadian minister to Washington, has received \$36,470 from June 1, 1931, to the present, according to a return tabled in the House of Commons. This amount was for salary and expenses. Mr. Herridge's outlay for entertainment was paid out of that amount.

The total cost of the Canadian legation at Washington in that period was \$338,089.

Total cost of the high commissioner's office in London, from August, 1930, to February, 1935, was \$554,273, another return said. This figure includes salaries and expenses.

Hon. G. Howard Ferguson, the Canadian high commissioner, has in that period received \$164,503, the return said, from which he was obliged to make expenditures for entertainment. Additional sums, however, totalling in the neighborhood of \$5,000, were advanced to cover Dominion Day receipts.

## Rainy Season Expected

Government Entomologist Looks For End Of Drought In West

Ottawa.—"We expect a more or less rainy season in the west this year, and that the drought is over," declared R. Painter, entomologist in the department of agriculture, in an address here. He dealt with the ravages of grasshoppers in recent years in the west, and the methods being taken to combat them.

Mr. Painter said two or three species of grasshoppers were responsible for the "outbreaks" which cause such distress and ruin crops. They were always the pests of semi-arid countries which had periodical drought conditions. But it was possible to kill 95 per cent. of these insects by one application of "bait," consisting of bran, sawdust and poison.

During the year 1934 a total expenditure of \$708,000 was involved in the three prairie provinces in the work of extermination, he said.

## Election Act

Voters' List Will Be Revised Between May 15 And July 1st

Ottawa.—Some details of the Dominion election and franchise regulations as amended last year were understood to have been discussed at a caucus of Conservative members of the House of Commons and senate with particular reference to their bearing on the forthcoming elections.

A report that a proposal was adopted by caucus to amend the Franchise Act so annual revision of the list which the statute provides must be made between May 15 and July 1 might be waived this year was denied by a government spokesman. No such proposal was adopted nor made, he said.

Under the present act a basic list was prepared during the winter and is now practically ready for distribution. This list will be revised between May 15 and July 1, and each year thereafter on the same dates.

## Regaining His Health

Expected Premier Bennett Will Return To House In Few Weeks

Ottawa.—Government supporters in the House of Commons and senate were given positive assurance by Sir George Perley that their party chief, Prime Minister R. B. Bennett, had been given every reason to believe he would be back in his place in parliament within a few weeks.

So far as the best medical opinion could judge, the acting government leader told his colleagues. Mr. Bennett would be able to return to his parliamentary duties before prorogation and would be in condition to lead his party in the general election campaign. Mr. Bennett will be confined to bed for about another week, according to present progress, and will then seek recuperation at some health resort for about a fortnight.

## Will Go To England

Pasadena, Calif.—Although still in poor health, Viscount Julian Byng, who suffered a heart attack recently has improved slowly and plans to leave for England about the first of next month. He came here for relief from bronchial trouble.

## Advocates Coal Quota

Edmonton.—Adoption of a compulsory coal quota system under which the eastern market would absorb part of the Alberta production was advocated in the legislature by A. Sison, Labor member for Lethbridge.

## Relief Distribution

329 Carloads Of Foodstuffs Sent To West By Presbyterian Church

Toronto.—The Presbyterian Church in Canada distributed 329 carloads of relief in the form of foodstuffs to drought-stricken areas in the west in recent months, it was stated at a meeting of the board of missions here.

In addition to the food supplies, which had been collected in the east and sent to the prairie provinces and the Peace River district, 21,000 pounds of clothing were forwarded.

The number of families helped was 1,050. Mrs. W. H. Fletcher, Toronto, superintended the collection and Mrs. H. R. Horne, Regina, the distribution of articles. The church also provided 14 cases of Christmas gifts to needy families and in one instance cared for a whole community.

## U. S. REMOVES ALL RESTRICTIONS AGAINST SEEDING

Washington.—Fearing a wheat shortage if another drought—already threatened—occurs, Secretary of Agriculture Henry Wallace announced removal of all restrictions on plantings of spring wheats in the United States.

This action followed quickly after the year's first crop report showing farmers intend to plant 17,847,000 acres of spring wheat, compared with 15,521,000 acres planted in 1934.

"The drought quite definitely continues," in part of the west, Wallace said, adding that a survey of the situation led the administration to the conviction that "in view of the possibility of another drought which would seriously affect the output of wheat the government and farmers have a duty" to protect consumers against a wheat shortage.

The secretary estimated farmers will plant an additional 900,000 to 2,300,000 acres as a result of the action and would harvest between 10,000,000 and 30,000,000 bushels more. Spring wheat is normally about one-fourth of the total wheat crop.

Any surplus of wheat which may accumulate will be taken care of by the "ever-normal" granary plan, or the storing of reserves to be held against lean years, he said.

Drought conditions are reported prevalent in the western parts of North and South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma, the Texas Panhandle and the eastern portions of Colorado, Wyoming and Montana, the secretary said.

Secretary Wallace said that while wheat supplies had been reduced to about normal, none of the factors which contributed to the 1933 surplus, such as the loss of foreign markets, had been removed.

## Object To Jap Goods

Shanghai, China.—"The breast-beating nation-lamenting group" is the newest thing in anti-Japanese societies to make its appearance in Shanghai. Members of the society congregate in front of Chinese shops believed to be selling Japanese-made goods. They beat their breasts, sing a wailing chant, and then smash the windows of the shop, taking to their heels as soon as policemen appear.

## RAREST STAMP FOR SALE



The rarest stamp in the world—it is insured for \$50,000—has just arrived in England from the United States for sale in London. It is the "British Guiana one cent stamp, the only one in the world, the property of Mr. Arthur Hinda, who purchased it in Paris in 1822 for 300,000 francs (then worth about \$37,000). Here we see the stamp being examined by Mr. Gordon Harmer, famous British stamp expert.

## INTRODUCES BILL



Premier Angus L. Macdonald, of Nova Scotia, who is to introduce a bill in the Nova Scotia Legislature which will set up a permanent civil service for Nova Scotia in line with a recommendation of the Jones Commission of Economic Enquiry.

## Notorious "Ghost" Caught

Young Boy Responsible For Strange Happenings On Ontario Farm

Perth, Ont.—The ghost of Burgess township, who last January was responsible for mysteriously breaking windows, walking fountains and bounding crockery in the home of John Quinn on the shore of Black Lake, is in the custody of Ontario provincial police.

The ghost turned out to be a 13-year-old Burgess boy, who is held also on a charge of arson in connection with the fire which destroyed a barn on the farm of Michael McFarland, a neighbor of his parents.

He is said to have admitted setting fire to the barn, and also to have told of being responsible for the mysterious goings on at the Black Lake farmhouse, which drew hundreds of curious visitors to the place, and baffled police and newspaper reporters.

Police turned the boy over to the superintendent of Lanark County Children's Aid Society, where he will be arranged in juvenile court.

## Building Programs

Sees Drawbacks In Scheme To Relieve Unemployment

Ottawa.—Building programs designed to relieve unemployment have drawbacks, Minister of Labor Wesley Gordon advised the House of Commons.

He visualized a government building erected in a county town with attendant publicity. For a time the local situation was improved but in a few days the town became flooded with men from all parts of the country, men who either did not have jobs or whose wages were lower than those paid on the government building.

"I have seen that happen time after time," he said.

## Arrests In Russia

Moscow.—Soviet authorities have announced the arrest of 1,074 members of the old aristocracy and old moneyed class. Some of them, it was said, will be tried for "activities against the state in behalf of foreign countries," while the rest will be exiled to the eastern reaches of the Soviet Union.

## Riot In New York

Negroes Run Wild When Told Boy Killed For Stealing

New York.—Rioters raged through Harlem, largest negro settlement in United States, bringing injuries to at least 100, besides smashing store windows and looting them of their contents.

Several hundred policemen drawn from all parts of Manhattan which includes Harlem, and from Brooklyn to the Bronx, broke up mob gatherings but could not prevent guerrilla outbreaks. About 100 prisoners were booked at one station.

Police officials charged agitators with inciting the negroes and whites of the area to violence by telling them employees of a store had killed a young negro who was caught stealing a pocketknife.

In reality, the store manager had turned the boy loose although he had bitten the two floor-walkers who caught him.

Not until 10 hours after the trouble began could the police find the boy to prove he was alive.

## Solve West's Problems

Will Pay All Debts With Return Of Normal Crops

Ottawa.—The belief that, with co-operation of governments, financial institutions of the east and the church, the problems of the west would be solved, was expressed here by Premier J. G. Gardiner, of Saskatchewan. He added that people of the west would pay a hundred fold every sacrifice which might be made by people of Canadian in assisting to maintain westerners on their land.

Premier Gardiner was addressing a meeting of the University Club of Ottawa. He said that the question today was whether or not the west could come back—if it could again produce the wealth it had in the past. If the west could get back to the crops and prices which prevailed before the depression he believed Saskatchewan could pay off its debt "and have money left over for gasoline and other luxuries."

## OTTAWA WILL EXTEND RELIEF ANOTHER YEAR

Ottawa.—Relief agreements with the provinces will be extended for another year at an Ottawa conference with Dominion officials, it was announced in the House of Commons by Labor Minister Wesley Gordon. The present agreements lapse at the end of the month.

The house devoted some time to the government's relief bill which would extend the present blank cheque for another year. Liberals announced they would oppose it because they considered it was an admission by the government of its inability to cure unemployment and relieve widespread distress.

The labor minister said the bill was designed merely to continue direct relief agreements with the provinces and "before this session ends, other measures will be presented, looking toward providing work for our citizens." At the moment he could not disclose the nature of the bills.

Although pressed by various Liberals and Progressives, the labor minister said it would be impossible for the Dominion to relieve municipalities of direct relief costs. There was no machinery through which the Dominion could watch its money except at prohibitive cost. It was a safeguard to have provinces and municipalities contribute, it made them zealous to see the money was spent properly.

"I do not believe," Mr. Gordon said, "this form of relief (direct) can be abandoned. It may be possible to adjust it in the light of other measures which may be brought down in this house and in the legislatures, but I do not think direct relief can be abandoned."

Hon. Ernest Lapointe, former minister of justice, announced the Liberals would oppose the bill. "After five years of administration, no relief program or program to solve unemployment has yet been placed before the parliament of Canada," he said. When the government sought the fifth blank cheque it admitted its inability to formulate definite policies.

Another former Liberal cabinet minister, Hon. W. D. Fisher, led the forces urging the government relieve municipalities of relief costs, claiming cities and towns were being pushed into bankruptcy.

## START FIRE IN PRISON REVOLT AT KINGSTON

Kingston, Ont.—An ominous 10-months' silence in Kingston penitentiary was broken when fire started—apparently simultaneously—in two work departments in the big prison and 50 convicts locked themselves in one of them with the flames.

Guards smashed down a steel door leading to the boot and clothing workshop and led the revolting prisoners to their cells as flames raged less than 50 feet away in the building where mail bags are manufactured. Prison officials refused to discuss the developments in any way.

Fire Chief James Armstrong of Kingston announced that damage by fire and water to the boot and clothing shop and to the mail-bag building would be heavy. The fire was believed to have started about 5 o'clock in the afternoon. Firemen left the penitentiary grounds at 8:30.

"The mail-bag building was gutted," Chief Armstrong said. A foot of water covered the floor of the floor of the nearby shoe shop, which is situated on the second floor of the west wing in the main shop building, centre of the prison's industrial activity.

There was no official statement as to how the fire had started. The mail-bag building was deserted when flames were discovered there, it was learned, and guards concentrated on breaking down the door to the shoe shop where a group of convicts had locked themselves in.

No one was injured and the big institution beside Lake Ontario was as quiet at night as it has been without exception since last May when damage estimated at from \$30,000 to \$40,000 was caused by fire in the change room. Prisoners howled and "yammered" on that occasion.

## Need Health Certificate

Bill Introduced In Alberta Legislature In Respect To Prospective Bridal Couples

Edmonton.—Bill of health will have to be produced by prospective bridal couples in this province before marriages can be performed, under a bill introduced in the legislature by Hon. George Howland, minister of health.

Last year a similar bill caused widespread interest and was finally withdrawn, as it was felt that the public was not sufficiently informed.

An educational campaign has been carried on in the province during the year by those approving of such legislation and Mr. Howland expects it to receive a more favorable reception.

The minister said the Local Council of Women, women's institutes, U.F.A., U.F.W.A., and the medical profession had approved of the proposed legislation.

## Gold Production Mounts

Canada's January Output Worth Over Eight Million Dollars

Ottawa.—An increase of more than 15,000 ounces was shown in production of gold in January when the output totalled 249,029 ounces compared with 231,285 ounces in January, 1934, the Dominion bureau of statistics reported.

Ontario led the provinces with an output of 179,054 ounces, and Quebec second with 32,102 ounces while British Columbia was third with 25,726 ounces. Manitoba and Saskatchewan produced 11,498 ounces, Nova Scotia 580 ounces, Alberta 10 ounces, and the Yukon had an output of 23 ounces of alluvial gold.

The average price of gold in Canadian funds in January was \$34.99 per ounce, valued at this price, the Canadian output was worth \$8,703,364.

## Curtail Council Rights

Alberta Legislature May Pass Bill Re Closing Of Schools

Edmonton.—Communists or others in control of municipal councils or school boards will have their rights curtailed in declaring civic or school holidays, if a legislature bill proposed is adopted.

The measure would prevent such towns as Blairmore, where radicals control the administration, from declaring civic or school holidays—as was decided in Blairmore in honor of Tim Buck's visit—without first obtaining a permit from the minister of municipal affairs.

## Italy Covets Ethiopia

Country Is Great Treasure House Of Natural Resources

One of the richest territorial gems in all Africa is the prize awaiting Italy if it succeeds in its apparent design to make the ancient black kingdom of Ethiopia a part of its colonial empire.

With inestimable amounts of unmined gold, silver and platinum, virgin forests of valuable timber, rich soil, and temperate climate in its highlands, it is one of the few undeveloped territorial treasures left in the world.

Hostility of its black warriors, known as the world's fiercest fighters, to foreign encroachment, has kept it virtually untouched by the development of modern civilization.

Although the kingdom lies wholly in the tropics, its nearness to the equator is counterbalanced by its elevation. The climate is healthy and temperate, with bracing air. It is dry from October to mid-June and rainy from June to September.

Vegetation is dense in the valleys and luxuriant in the uplands. Torrential rivers, which feed the Nile, and scattered lakes make the soil exceedingly fertile. Most of the agricultural regions yield two and many three crops a year while the land is admirably adapted for stock raising. Natives get their simple needs from the wilds with little difficulty.

The table-land is considered to hold great potentialities for the cultivation of grains and vegetables, while the low lands hold similar promises for rubber and cotton plantations. Coffee already is cultivated by the natives on a small scale.

Wild game and fruit trees of every description abound. In the south there are large forests of valuable virgin timber.

Traces of gold, iron, coal, potash and other valuable minerals have been found in promising quantities, but no thorough survey ever has been made of the extent to which they exist. In the main Abyssinia has nearly everything Italy needs.

The kingdom's chief port, Djibouti, now under French control, is at the entrance of the Strait of Bab-el-Mandeb, one of the gateways on the shipping lane from the Mediterranean to the east.

## Review Of The Fleet

Will Be Brilliant Event At Portsmouth In July

Plans for a brilliant week of royal festivity in July, when the King will hold the Jubilee review of the fleet at Spithead, are already being made at Portsmouth and Southsea.

Vessels ranging from giant warships to small auxiliary craft to the number of 200 are expected to take part in the review, including the whole of the home fleet, a large section of the reserve fleet and the fleet arm. Many famous ships will be there—Nelson, Rodney, Malaya, Valiant and Barham—and possibly Hood and Renown, which were recently in collision.

There will be five different sets of reconnaissance and fighting aircraft attached to the aircraft-carriers Furious and Courageous. It is expected that the King will arrive on July 16 and join the royal yacht at Portsmouth. Subsequently, if weather permits, he will lead the fleet to exercises at sea.

The civic authorities are likely to entertain a section of their naval visitors, facilities will be provided ashore for many thousands of ratings and the whole town will be decorated. The hotels are actively making preparations for an invasion.

## Ten Most Charming People

U.S. President And Prince Of Wales Are On List

Miss Margery Wilson, who lectures on the gracious arts, selected these 10 persons as the most charming in the world:

President and Mrs. Roosevelt, Amelia Earhart, Pope Pius XI, Emperor Hirohito of Japan, Princess Elizabeth of England, Bill Robinson, the negro tap-dancer; the Prince of Wales, Anne Lindbergh, the Jonja Henje, Norwegian fancy skier. All can possess charm, Miss Wilson said, who "will be themselves."

## Thousand Dollars For Song

The thrill of getting off the relief rolls with a \$1,000 cheque for writing a popular song came to Mrs. Julia Louisa Covell. She had been singing in an emergency relief administration chorus at San Francisco. In her spare time she wrote a song, called it "My Brown-Eyed Sweetheart," and sent it to New York.

More than 100,000 dogs are killed on the roads of Britain every year.

## Great Demand For Seats

To See Royal Barge Carry Rulers Down The Thames

A pageant recalling the glories of days when the Thames was London's main highway, will form part of the celebrations of the King's Silver Jubilee.

The Royal Silver Barge, the oldest vessel afloat, first launched in 1687, will be used by Their Majesties in a procession in which will participate every type of craft, including, if possible, some of the old state barges belonging to the city companies and other bodies.

Friday, May 10, has been provisionally fixed as the date. The present suggestion is that the boats, some days prior to the pageant, shall take up their position along both banks of the river, from Greenwich to Chiswick, where they shall be lit up with flags by day and illuminated by night.

On the appointed day, the main procession, led by the Royal State Barge, will start at Greenwich, the anchored craft taking up their proper positions as it moves towards Chiswick.

As the event will take place in the evening, along a floodlit river, thousands of citizens and visitors will be able to view it from the embankments and from the bridges, as in bygone days they watched from the river banks kings and queens floating in their gilded river craft, or statelymen going by boat to Parliament.

Meanwhile, seats and blocks of seats on the route of the Royal procession from Buckingham Palace to St. Paul's, for the thanksgiving service, are selling at prices ranging from 43 to 45 s. a seat.

A block of 200 seats round St. Clement Danes Church in the Strand is nearly sold out already at £10 apiece. Hundreds of applications have been received for seats at £15 in St. Paul's Churchyard.

The Canadian Pacific is said to be counting on the transportation of not less than 20,000 Canadians.

## Dinosaur Will Be Mounted

Gigantic Fossil To Be Placed In Alberta University Museum

The gigantic fossilized skull of a dinosaur whose remains were found in the Red river valley, near the mouth of Berry Creek, is being prepared for mounting at Edmonton by George F. Sternberg of Fort Hays College museum, Kansas. The distinguished geologist and paleontologist is busily engaged removing the matrix from the fossil, which is 34 inches in length. The body measures approximately 27 feet. When assembled it will be placed on exhibition at the University of Alberta museum.

The bones of this carnivorous animal, technically known as gorgosaurus, were found in Cretaceous strata. To the scientist, this means the mastodon roamed the prairies in the early part of the ice age—100,000,000 years ago.

Fossils of imperial elephants and other gargantuan of the animal kingdom have been found in Saskatchewan and Manitoba. They were driven southward by a moving ice pack and disappeared during that early age.

## Demand For Horses

Reports Of Serious Horse And Mule Shortage In U.S.

Reports of a 10,000,000 horse and mule shortage in the United States were viewed with interest by the ranchers and dealers of southern Alberta.

Few sales have been made to the United States this year, but the eastern Canadian demand promises well, and good paying shipments have been made to Nova Scotia and New Brunswick.

The eastern market has opened two or three weeks earlier than usual, with prices well above 1934. Demand is for horses weighing around 1,500 pounds, young, and broken to harness. Prices range from \$125 to \$150 a team.

Exports of Canadian dressed poultry to the British market have been larger than ever since the recent amendments to the Dressing Poultry Regulations pertaining to the individual bird marking and compulsory inspection of poultry became law on November 10, 1934.

Practically every part of the cow, including the blood, is used in making airplanes.

London recently had 22 false fire alarms in 48 hours.

Our eyes see only one star in 5,000,000.

## DOMINIONS' SECRETARY TO CELEBRATE JUBILEE



This year is a most important one in the eyes of the Right Honourable J. H. Thomas, British Secretary for the Dominions, as it marks three great occasions. First, and by far the most important, is the Silver Jubilee of the King's accession to the Throne; second, it is also the Silver Jubilee of the Union of South Africa, and, third, it is Jimmy's Silver Jubilee as a parliamentarian. Twenty-five years ago this year the popular Labour leader entered the House of Commons, and he has been there ever since. At the top we see him, centre, when he was gaining prominence in political circles with Ramsay MacDonald and Arthur Henderson. Bottom, left, we see him a few years later as a very busy official of the Railway Trades Union; and at the right, as he appears to-day as a prominent member of the National Government.

## Had No Training

Winnipeg Man Expert At One Of Most Difficult Arts

Walter Phillips, R.C.A., of Winnipeg, is known in the art world as an outstanding chromoxylographist. In plain English, that means that he produces colored prints from woodcuts—one of the most difficult of all artistic crafts. He first sketches a design on Japanese mulberry paper, pastes this on a cherrywood board, and after cutting through paper and board for some 50 hours, his "key block" is made. This block is then coated with color and pressed like a rubber stamp against a sheet of damp paper. For each color in the complete print a separate block is required, and great care is necessary in turning out a finished print. Walter Phillips has had no training other than a boyhood knack of handling a penknife.

The quantity of branded beef sold in Canada during January, 1935, totalled 4,230,821 pounds, an increase of 1,621,469 pounds compared with January 1934. The amount sold in January 1931 was 886,466 pounds; 1,448,899 pounds in January 1932; 1,941,476 pounds in January 1933, and 2,609,341 pounds in January 1934. Two weeks ago sales of branded beef in Vancouver broke all previous records.

Limestone consists of carbonate of lime and some impurity which gives the stone its color.

Lecturers were a sacrificial ceremony among the ancient Romans.

## Knew Books And Contents

Official At British Museum Always Had Information Ready

Prodigious though it may be, Senator Milgrom's memory must, however, pale beside that of Dr. Richard Garnett, for many years keeper of printed books and superintendent of the reading room at the British Museum, the centenary of whose birth was recently celebrated. Occupying the position that he did, Dr. Garnett had many thousands of books under his charge. He knew them and their contents so well, however, that when Ford, Madox Ford, the novelist, was sent to the museum by his grandfather with some question about a Merovingian buckle, he was immediately and quietly given the following instructions by the keeper of the books: "If you go into the reading room and turn on your right, on the fifth shelf from the door, the fourth row, you will find such-and-such a work, and on a page near the end of the tenth volume—I should say it was page 274—about the middle of the plate, there is the engraving of a buckle such as Mr. Brown requires."

Arthur—"So your new job makes you independent?"  
Albert—"Absolutely. I get here any time I want before eight, and leave just when I please after five."

Within historic times the Atlantic walrus was found as far south as the Gulf of St. Lawrence.

More than 15,000,000 pounds of rice were produced in Italy last year.

## Potatoes As Food

Some Good Recipes For Everyday Use Of The Housewife

The human body is often referred to as a furnace, the food as the fuel and the heat given off as the energy. Of the three elements in that fuel, namely, protein, fat, and carbohydrate, the last named is referred to as the energy giver. Potatoes supply energy. As regards their general composition, they are slightly acid and contain a quantity of starch, a trace of sugar, a small amount of minerals and proteins and a large amount of water. The percentage of these component parts is: Carbohydrate, 18 per cent.; minerals, 9 per cent.; protein, 2.1 per cent.; fat, 1 per cent.; water, 79.9 per cent. The following are recipes for the everyday use of potatoes:

**Boiled potatoes**—Select potatoes of uniform size, wash, pare, and drop at once in cold water to prevent discoloration. Cook in boiling salted water until soft, which is easily determined by piercing with a skewer. For seven potatoes allow one tablespoon of salt, and boiling water to cover. Drain from the water and keep uncovered in a warm place until serving time. Avoid sending to the table in a covered vegetable dish. In boiling large potatoes, it often happens that the outside is soft, while the centre is underdone. To finish cooking without breaking potatoes apart, add one pint of cold water which drives heat to centre, thus accomplishing the cooking.

**Baked potatoes**—Select smooth, medium sized potatoes. Wash, using a vegetable brush, and place in a dripping pan. Bake in a hot oven 40 minutes or until soft; remove from the oven and serve at once. If allowed to stand, unless the skin is ruptured for escape of steam, they become soggy. Properly baked potatoes are more easily digested than potatoes cooked in any other way, as some of the starch is changed to dextrin by the intense heat.

**French Fried Potatoes**—Wash and pare small potatoes; cut in eighth lengths, and soak one hour in cold water to cover. Drain and parboil in boiling salted water to cover, two minutes; again drain; plunge into cold water, fry between towels, fry in deep fat until delicately browned, a few at a time and drain on brown paper. Heat fat to a higher temperature, return all potatoes to fat, using a frying basket, and fry until crisp and brown, keeping the basket in motion. Again drain on brown paper and sprinkle with salt.

## Explanation Is Simple

Familiar Phrase "By And Large" Used By Sailors

A correspondent of the New York Herald Tribune having expressed his distaste of the use of the familiar phrase, "by and large"—said he: "I can see no sense in it"—the editor offers an explanation that may be appreciated by readers.

It appears that as with so many of the best of casual phrases—like "taken aback" and "getting under way"—a vivid picture from the sea is involved. The meaning is clearly described in both the New English Dictionary and in Webster's. "By" is the equivalent of the modern "and," and means "close-hauled." "Full and by" means sailing a course close-hauled but with the sails rapid. "By and large" is used in the quite different sense of alternately sailing "close-hauled" and "off" the wind. "Standing off and on" has somewhat the same significance.

The New English quotes from a Sturmy Mariner's Magazine of 1669: "Thus you see the ship handled in fair weather and foul, by and large." It is a fine round phrase covering all the points of sailing and therefore an apt metaphor for the colloquial meaning "in all respects" or "taken altogether."

## A One-Man Orchestra

The "one-man symphony orchestra" is brought into the realm of possibility by a system of electrical recording devised by Prof. Vladimir Karapetoff of Cornell University. His device makes it possible for a single performer to produce the effects generally achieved only by a number of players.

In 1884-85, Thomas Stevens travelled around the world, covering the land areas on a high-wheel bicycle. He wheeled a distance of 15,500 miles.

Lowered by ropes 70 feet over a cliff in Cumberland, England, Thomas Teasdale, a blacksmith, rescued two sheep from a crag.

Nearly 70,000 women hold government positions in Britain.

## Ship Eggs By Air Route

Hatching Eggs Are Shipped 15,500 Miles From Bristol To Australia

An experiment never before attempted, that of sending a sitting of hatching eggs for 12,800 miles by air, has just been carried out in connection with the recent departure of the first air-mail service from Britain to Australia, according to a despatch received by Cunard White Star Limited, agents for Imperial Airways Limited.

The eggs were consigned by Captain the Hon. C. E. Greenway (now Lord Greenway) from his poultry farm at Stanbridge Park, Romsey, Hants, to Mr. F. P. Finney, of the Rhode Island Red Club, Sydney, New South Wales.

On their first stage the eggs were flown from London to Paris. Then came a train link to Brindisi, and after this an air voyage across the Mediterranean in one of the big Imperial Airways flying-boats. From Cairo the load went on above the desert to England, and on down the Persian Gulf to Karachi.

Across India the stages were flown in one of the monoplane air-liners operated by Indian Trans-Continental Airways, an associated company of Imperial Airways.

From Calcutta the flight continued to Rangoon and Singapore, and then on eastward over fresh air links to Port Darwin and Brisbane—these new sections from Malaysia to Australia being operated by Qantas Empire Airways, another associated company of Imperial Airways.

The consignment of eggs reached Brisbane 12½ days after leaving London, as compared with a journey of 45 days had they gone by land and sea transport, representing a saving of 32½ days.

From Brisbane they continued to Sydney by rail, being delivered to Mr. Finney a few days later. He immediately examined the consignment, and found it to be in perfect condition, not a single egg having been damaged in transit.

This first consignment of hatching eggs by air from England created immense interest in Australia. Photographs of the eggs, and of the box in which they travelled, appeared in the press, with full accounts of the experiment.

Mr. Finney, the recipient of the eggs, has since communicated with Qantas Empire Airways, and also with Lord Greenway, in one letter, after promising to report further as to the results actually obtained in the hatching of the eggs, he says: "This experiment has created a 'tall' everywhere throughout Australia, and I feel personally that it will open up and develop the importing and exporting of hatching eggs to many parts of the world."

## Care Of House Plants

Lukewarm Water Should Be Used For Best Results

Watering plants correctly is half the battle in their winter care. Sometimes, if the pots are too full of earth, the water runs off without reaching the roots at all. There should be a space of about half an inch at the top of the pot.

Where it is impossible to remove enough of the top earth, watering should be done by setting the pot in a flat pan of water, so the moisture can rise through the drainage hole in the bottom. Some ferns should always be watered by setting the pot in a tub so that the water comes within an inch of the top of the pot. This ensures thorough soaking without injury.

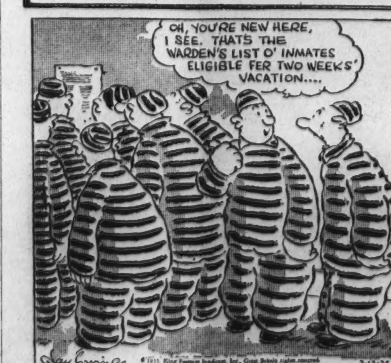
Cold tap water is usually hard on house plants. Hot water should never be used, excepting in the treatment for worms which requires that the pot be set in about an inch of very hot water. For ordinary purposes, soft water heated to lukewarm stage is best. It causes no shock to the plants and hastens growth a little.

Most wide-leaved house plants require sponging to keep the pores of their leaves open. Oil is fatal to them, but mild soap used followed by clear lukewarm water will help prevent the harboring of pests.

Fine sprays of lukewarm water are of benefit to all house plants, with the exception of a few like the gloxinia, the leaves of which are covered with fine hair. These few types resent the presence of water drops and should be left to themselves. The majority, however, relish the moist atmosphere surrounding them after the spraying is over.

Canada was easily first among the exporters of oats to the British Isles in 1934, with 1,941,279 cwt. This was considerably more than half the amount imported into Britain from all sources.

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### SYNOPSIS

"You've fallen heir to a half-share in plenty of trouble," the lawyer told Gerald Keene. "The Broken Spur has been systematically looting the ranch, and old Joe Carr, your partner, is drinking himself into a pool of water. Dad Kane, desert rat and luckless prospector till now returns to tell Dustin and Spike Goddard, who had grubstaked him, of his discovery of a rich gold mine, and shows samples of the ore.

Dustin unexpectedly comes along while Stone and Edith are riding fence, and seeing them, stops and talks to Edith. He mentions their dispute could be settled by marrying him, and Edith returns his proposal with remarks that make Dustin furious. He insults Stone, who promptly throws him into a pool of water. Dustin learns that Gerald Keene has been sent for, and also that Duro Stone has seen the Broken Spur men rustling Carr's cattle. He sets out with Dad Kane to learn the location of his gold discovery. Dad Kane shows Dustin the mine.

They go back to camp, and Dustin shoots Kane. He fixes the shooting on Peyotl Gregg, a drug addict who is stupefied by the narcotic he had taken, did not know whether he was guilty or not. They bury Kane and then return to the Broken Spur ranch. Meanwhile at the Hour Glass, Carr, Crewe and Stone speculate as to the meaning of entries in the notebook belonging to Dad Kane that Stone had found. Stone thinks of a possible solution, and, accompanied by Edith Carr, rides out to Red Water to test out his theory, which proves correct, and they find the rich gold deposit mentioned in the prospector's notebook. As they return to the ranch, they meet Dustin leaving the house, who purposely, but unsuccessfully tries to ride down Stone.

(Now Go On With The Story)

### CHAPTER XIV.—Continued

He walked on up the street and never saw the tall figure of Sam Dustin standing in the shadows by

## A Law Every Mother Should Know and Observe

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the court-house door. Dustin's finger crooked in the shadows and another figure joined him; the loose, shambling shape of Peyotl Gregg.

"See that man, Peyotl?" Dustin pointed to Stone. "That man has come in to meet the man Gerald Keene, who comes on the night train. The man will call himself Keene, but his right name's Kane. You see, the old man found a gold mine and it was on the Hour-glass land. This nephew wants to find him. If he finds him . . . you'll hang. Don't forget that. I'll be at the hotel when you're ready to go back to the Broken Spur."

Peyotl gave him one frenzied glance and his right hand sought his coat pocket. Dustin gave a little gasp. The man was half-crazed with fright and murderous intent. He grabbed him by the arm. A little white foam lay in the corners of Peyotl's mouth and his eyes glared with a light there was no mistaking. After a dozen of those infernal cigarettes Peyotl was ready to kill and Dustin knew it.

"Don't you take a chance," he muttered. "Don't put anything at the station or in public where people can see you. Wait! You'll be sure to get a chance in the dark if you wait. I'd trail 'em if I were you and choose some dark place. Of course I don't know what you're plannin' . . . You're a damned fool, Peyotl."

He sauntered off in the dusk and Peyotl, half walking, half reeling, headed for the little station.

Stone had already picked up Carr and Crewe and was waiting at the car when the train came in with a sheet of flying sparks from the hard wheels. Stone himself was the first to leap to the steps of the Pullman and was almost knocked off his feet by the rush of a man who did not wait for the train to stop.

"Duro . . . Duro Stone, by all the gods!" a great shout came from Stone on the shoulder, almost knocking him over. "Who's with you? We must get together. . ."

"Wait a bit . . ." Stone muttered between his teeth. "Here's your partner. A great crowd will have to get together as soon as we can. I've got a lot to tell you. We need two heads here. . ."

The crowd prevented any exchange of confidences and then Crewe came up to him. "Mr. Carr," Stone grabbed Joe by the arm—"you wanted to meet Mr. Keene. . ."

A hand thrust forward and old Carr seized it. This was Gerald Keene, the nephew of his old-time partner. Gerald Keene, the only man who could help him in his hour of trouble. He shook that hand as one might snatch at a life-preserver flung in roaring seas.

"If you're Gerald Keene," he said, "you don't know how I'm glad I am to see you. We've got a lot to talk over this very night."

"How about some grub, sir, first of all?"

"Fine. And after that we'll have a few drinks at the Silver Dollar and then home to the Hour-glass."

Those last words reached Peyotl, standing among the freight. He was satisfied now. The party would go to the Silver Dollar and that would give him his chance. He slunk off up the street and buried himself in the Mexican quarter of the town while Stone headed with his party for the hotel.

That dinner with its long delays and frequent drinks that came slowly from the bar, kept them till nearly ten o'clock and old Joe Carr fought his way from the table in spite of Crewe. His manager saw signs of what was coming and wanted to avoid it. Carr insisted that "Of course Keene wants to see the sights," he clamored. "I haven't been in town for a year. I'm a wolf and this is my night to howl. Hell, man! Come on. No one's going to stop me. I just want to play my old favorite 'Cripple Creek' once more. Let's get down to the Silver Dollar. They have a big lottery there at eleven."

They headed for the Silver Dollar.

### CHAPTER XV.

Peyotl Gregg had friends in Seco of whom Sam Dustin knew nothing. For five years he had supposed that he was the sole source of Peyotl's dope supply but that was because Peyotl had successfully smuggled his store into the Broken Spur unknown. If Dustin had known, it would have gone hard with Peyotl. The moment he left Dustin, Peyotl sought out one of those friends of his.

Pascual Mendes herded sheep (and that shows how far Peyotl had fallen. Not for nothing does the proverb run "If a man will do that, he'll steal sheep"). Many of Pascual's sheep were black and Peyotl was not one of the whitest . . .

## CHILDREN'S COLDS



PROVED BY 2 GENERATIONS

In Mendes's jacal, Peyotl took account of stock. Mendes was absent but Peyotl knew where to find what he wanted. From a hole in the trodden clay-floor he extracted an old cigar-box from which he took a red-and-green package of those ill-favored cigarettes, lit one and sat down to think. The very first puff stimulated him; the next gave exhilaration. Dustin was a good friend who had given him excellent advice and the future seemed rosy and happy. He passed rapidly from the first stage of half-lit despair to the next, in which he saw complete fulfillment of his own desires. When he had smoked three cigarettes on an empty stomach he knew suddenly that he faced a golden future. . .

if only this man Gerald Kane . . . or Keene . . . could be removed. Who was this stranger that he should bound a man to the gallows? "By God . . ." The home-made cigar satisfied him. . .

He flung the cigarette to the floor, stamped out the spark, felt in his pockets and laid their contents before him . . . the stubby little Derringer pistol and three cartridges. He thought, unreasonably, from Dustin's desk, a knife, a box of matches and a huge yellow-and-green bandana neckerchief that stunk and reeked of the peyotl that he was smoking. He very carefully loaded both barrels of the pistol, snapped it shut, wrapped it in the bandana neckerchief and thrust it into his coat-pocket on the right side.

This stranger must be removed! If he remained in Seco, his search for old man Kane, his uncle, would disclose the fact that he, Peyotl, had killed him. The result was plain.

He had heard those men say that they were going to the Silver Dollar and, of all places, the Silver Dollar was the most satisfactory for the carrying out of his plans. Of course he could not go brazenly into the bar and shoot down this man Gerald Kane. That was not necessary. Some subterfuge must be devised. He felt in his pocket to assure himself that the bandana lay ready-to-hand and moved down Seco's main street toward the lights of the Silver Dollar.

He was too wise to enter that brightly lighted room where a dozen men knew him. From the back door that gave on the littered yard he studied the place.

The bar was crowded with men from the Broken Spur, the Cross Keys and with a dozen "Dry-farmers" in town for a night. Off the roulette table and the chuck-a-luck stand were found a healthy business and May Wilson keeping cases at the faro table had her hands full.

As Peyotl stared in through the party open back door, he realized that the setting was perfect. All he needed was the opportunity.

The slatted front door slammed suddenly open and Peyotl shrank back into the dark as Carr and his party flung into the room.

(To Be Continued)

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## Another Tradition Upset

Earth Ebbs And Flows Like Tides Of The Sea

A favorite occupation of physical scientists is the careful uprooting of history, fables, or common belief by the insertion of facts which prove or explain how things really happened.

From time immemorial the good dirt regions of earth have been considered stable. Even the Romans famed instigators of tall stories, never thought of calling the ground anything but terra firma. Now, Dr. Harlan Stetson, Harvard astrophysicist, tells us that not only are we walking on a thin upper "crust" of a wrinkled old apple called Earth, but even this crust heaves and fro like the tides of the sea.

Everyone knows the sea has its ebb and flow, but no one guessed that land areas could be affected likewise until Dr. Stetson said so. With superacurate clocks or chronometers, and more careful squinting at the stars, he corrected those "fables" to the split second and found that Europe and America drift apart as much as sixty-three feet twice daily and come together again by a similar amount. All of which means another time worn tradition is ready for the discard.

But for all the researchers, when Popeye and Barnacle Bill step ashore with their curious "zealegs" they can't get away with any tales about how difficult it is to get used to the billowing waves of land tides after a peaceful jaunt at sea. Nor is sixty-three feet enough of a variation to excuse European or American fluctuations of policy when attempts are made to agree on matters of trade finance and world peace.—Christian Science Monitor.

## THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

By Aline Michaelis

### THE SPIDER'S WEB

The utmost symmetry of a shell.

The closest design on a turtle's back. These strangely prove to me all is well.

That there is no shadow of fault or lack.

The patterned sheen of a peacock's tail.

The splendid hues of the pied macaw. These show a power which could build.

In its changeless purpose, its perfect law.

The spider's web and the stars that wheel.

The turning tides and the world's that run.

Whirling on and on until thought ends.

These all are the work of an Infinite One.

The painted lines in an iris bloom.

The stripes of bronze on a kitten's face.

Strangely free me from fear of doom. And strangely cheer me with hopes of grace.

### A Real Weather Prophet

Story About Beetle In Alberta Is No Myth

Not all stories about insects as weather forecasters can be dismissed as myths. Alberta has an insect that is a real weather prophet. It is the manure beetle, of the genus Aphodius, which emerges suddenly in the spring and autumn in countless thousands. A thorough study of the weather records fails to give any reason why the beetles should fly when they do, says H. L. Semmans of the Dominion Entomological Laboratory at Lethbridge, but there is a distinct and valuable connection between the beetle flights and the weather that follows. The first flight in the spring is usually the forerunner of a cold spell with snow, but this cold period is the last before spring growing conditions arrive.

### The Pony Express

Was Started In United States 75 Years Ago

Just seventy-five years ago the Pony Express, which used to carry mails in the United States, was started. The most famous of these services was between San Francisco and New York. There were 80 of the finest horses and 400 hardy mustangs in the service. They worked in relays of 80 to 90 miles each, and covered the transcontinental journey in nine days.

### Evidently He Knew

The teacher asked whether any one could give her a good definition of toast. Only one hand went up.

"All right, John, you tell us about toast," said John confidently, "is burnt bread scraped." 2091.



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### Strange Facts About Clothes

Origin Of Many Fashions We Take For Granted

Why does a tailor place a man's coat buttons on the right side? Because this fashion enabled him more readily to get at his dagger. Why are stockings adorned with "clocks"? Because they were originally put on to hide the gusset seams, when only clock stockings were worn, and were later retained because they were considered ornamental. Why are men's hats surrounded by a useless ribbon? Because 4,000 years ago women bound a loose fabric about their heads by means of a fillet. Why do husbands and grandfathers wear bowties? Because they borrowed the original head-dress of Hungarian mercenaries in the British Army. This was a cloth cap edged with fur. Regimental jealousy kept adding inches to this narrow adornment until the cap became all fur except its crown! Why does a man's morning coat bear two useless buttons above the tails? Because coats used to be almost like skirts, which needed buttoning to go and ah! ah! ah! ah! ed buttoning up to keep them out of the mud. Why does a barrister wear a black gown? Because, when Queen Anne died all the barristers went into mourning—and Queen Anne is still dead!

### Little Helps For This Week

"He that is slow to anger is better than the mighty, and he that ruleth his spirit than he that taketh a city." Proverbs 16:32.

Purge from our hearts and strains so deep and foul. Of wrath, and pride, and care; Send Thine own holy calm upon the soul.

And bid it settle there.

Let this truth be present to thee in the excitement of anger—that to be moved by passion is not manly, but that mildness and gentleness, as they are more agreeable to human nature, so also are they more manly. For in the same degree in which a man's mind is nearer to freedom from all passion, in the same degree also it is nearer to strength.

It is no great matter to associate with the good and gentle, for this is naturally pleasing to all, and every one enjoys peace and loveth those best who agree with him. But to be able to live peaceably with hard and perverse persons, or with the disorderly, or with such as go contrary to us, is a great grace, and a most commendable manly thing.

## PILE TORTURE NOW UNNECESSARY

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### Must License Variety

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### Watch Is Recovered

Lost In A Bag Of Relief Foodstuffs, Watch Will Go Back To Ontario

Lost in a bag of relief foodstuffs forwarded in a carload to Saskatchewan last fall, a wrist watch belonging to Mrs. Oscar Coleman, Delta, will be returned to her.

The watch was found by a relief recipient at Lusseland, Sask. Mrs. Coleman missed the watch after the bag was forwarded and word was sent to Saskatchewan where a newspaper advertisement led to recovery of the timepiece.

The remarkable thing about family pride is that people can be proud of so little.

Bunches of small carrots were worn as corsages by the ladies of the court of Queen Elizabeth.

### SKIN BLEMISHES

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Those spots or pimples on your face—why let them go on tormenting you? Like millions of others have done, you can get rid of your skin trouble through the work of a great physician—Dr. D. D. Dennis. Dr. Dennis' prescription, known in many countries as D.D.D., and now manufactured by Campana's Italian Balm chemist—will bring you relief at once, and quickly restore your skin to health. All druggists sell D.D.D. Trial size, 35c. Guaranteed to give instant relief or money refunded.

### Has Given Up Idea

After six years effort Georges Claude, French scientist, has abandoned his attempt to extract power and manufacture ice out of temperature differences in the tropical ocean waters off the coast of Brazil.

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**Council Meetings.**  
The council of the village of Crossfield will meet in the Fire Hall on the first Monday of each month at the hour of 8 o'clock p.m.  
By Order of the Village Council.  
T. Tredaway, Sec.-Treas.

**Canadian Legion B.E.S.L.**  
Crossfield Branch  
Meets on the last Saturday of each month in the Masonic Hall at 3 p.m.  
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**FOR SALE**—Two good Milch Cows, 4 years old, due to freshen March 20th. H. W. Long 1 Mile South and 2-1/2 Miles West of Crossfield.

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**United Church Services**  
Sunday, March 31st.  
Crossfield—Sunday School - 11:15  
Public Worship - 7:30  
Rodney—Public Worship 11 a.m.  
A hearty welcome extended to all.  
Rev. E. Longmire, Minister

**BUSINESS TAX**  
NOTICE is hereby given that 50 per cent of all Business Taxes for 1935 are to be paid on or before April 3rd, otherwise proceedings will be taken.  
Order of the Council.

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Crossfield Alberta.

Thursday, March 28th, 1935

**Local News**

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Smart entertained the Orwell Bridge Club on Thursday evening of last week.

The Ladies Aid of the United Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Smeaton on April 3rd.

Herbert Seville, Fred Collins and Jimmie McClelland have joined the non-permanent Militia (C.F.A.) Calgary.

Lloyd McRory was the winner of the beautiful lunch cloth raffled off by Mrs. Brooks of Dog Pound on Saturday night.

The C.W.L. quilt was not drawn for on Saturday as planned. See this serviceable quilt in N. A. Johnson's window today. Buy a 10 cent ticket, you may be lucky.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Ableman, Mr. and Mrs. F. Ruddy, Mr. and Mrs. C. Fox and families spent Saturday in Calgary with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Ruddy, the occasion being Mrs. Ruddy's birthday.

Colonel MacGregor completed his inspection of the public school here last week. Mrs. Emery and Miss Brown receiving excellent reports and Miss Seville, very good.

Pete Bleskin returned to town on Monday, after spending the winter at the single unemployed hostel at Ogden. Pete had very little to do but eat and grow fat, and they gave him enough clothing to last him two or three years.

The annual School Fair Concert was, as usual, a huge success, according to those present. The program was of good length and most of the items were very good indeed. After paying expenses the sum of twenty-five dollars will go to this year's School Fair fund.

**A. A. Halliday**

Before going to press we regret to hear of the death this morning, of Mr. A. A. Halliday, well known and highly respected citizen of this town.

Mr. Halliday had not been in the best of health for some time.

Funeral services will be held at the United Church, Crossfield at 2:00 o'clock Saturday. Interment will be made in the Calgary cemetery. Armstrong Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

**Honor Newlyweds**

The reception held in the U.F.A. hall on Thursday last, in honor of the newlyweds Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Borge, was voted a huge success by some 140 persons who attended.

The entertainment for the occasion was supplied by local artists, namely, Miss Genevieve and Bert Metherall, Miss Edna Ableman, the Misses Anna and Margaret Robertson, and Miss Grace Tebb, of Air-die.

Music for the dance was supplied by Chas. Ferguson, Don Fleming, Ken. McCrae, and Doug. McDonald.

The happy couple were presented with a Coleman lamp by their many friends in the district.

**Social Credit**

We are feeling very flattered this week to think that our small country newspaper was the subject of discussion by that great prophet and Social Credit exponent Mr. Aberhart.

We are still in the dark yet as to the feasibility of his scheme (if he has one) for ending all our troubles and making this Province that delectable country where everyone will receive his portion no matter what conditions prevail in other provinces or in the rest of the world for that matter. We have been wondering what will be given us in view of the "Incumbent on land" which has been lost owing to depressed prices. It should work both ways to be fair and we feel sure that Mr. Aberhart wishes to be fair.

We have often wondered what has happened to upset those prophecies made by Mr. Aberhart "of the Greatest prosperity the country has ever known," and those vivid descriptions of the "Beast" and Armageddon when the night of the British Empire will be defeated by the big bad wolf or the Russian Bear and so forth. How it did make our Coleman candle.

**JAMES WATT REEVE OF BEAVER DAM M.D.**

Council meeting of M. D. Beaver Dam No. 281, at the Municipal office, Dog Pound, March 13th.  
Councillors present: J. A. Watt, G. T. Haag, Wm. Moore, Geo. Lessie, Wm. Bellamy, J. R. Giles.  
Jas. Watt was re-elected Reeve and G. T. Haag, Deputy Reeve. Larkham Collins, Calgary, was appointed Auditor.

A by-law to advance seed grain to farmers who could not otherwise obtain it was passed.

A by-law for destruction of gophers on all lands in the district during months of March, April and May was passed.

After considerable discussion, a motion was made to pass estimates for 1935, for Municipal purposes on a basis of 6 mills on the dollar, an amendment was made to have same on a 5 mill basis. The amendment was lost, for 2, against 4. Motion carried.

The Secretary-Treasurer's salary, Councillors fees and rates for road work were continued the same as in 1934.

Rates ranging from 2 to 11 mills were set for the different School Districts.

Hospital accounts for \$1921.15 and General Accounts for \$826.75 were passed and routine business carried on.

A letter was read from C. J. Ford, K.C. advising that the Privy Council had refused petition for special right to appeal, in the Stone vs. M. D. of Beaver Dam, finishing the case.

**Dog Pound News**

Following a meeting of the Curling Club, the farmers got together and hauled the lumber sawed last winter. Men and teams came from the north, south, east and west, and the lumber was dumped here in short order. Like the birth of the Dionne quintuplets, it was a general delivery.

Last week all got together again, and hauled the logs cut by Jack Reeves and his crew. Fourteen teams and wagons went in one day, and all but one outfit got back at midnight. However he turned up safe and sound next day before a search party got started out to look for him. Of course he claimed to have the biggest load.

A meeting of the Curling Club was held on Saturday night in Glen's Log Cabin. There was a large attendance. After a good deal of discussion it was decided by vote to use the rink lumber for the building of a hall.

It was also agreed to go ahead and build a hall as soon as weather conditions permit.

Jack Reeves says we will not allow any mahogany dances in the new hall, it's going to be a Jack Pine Hall.

Who knows perhaps Jack has unwittingly named the new hall.

Angus Cameron and his brother Walter have rented the whinnish section for 1935. We wish them every success.

Quite a number of sick people in our community this winter.

If Dr. Williams keeps putting people on diets, the butcher will be liable to get him in court for interfering with trade. Perhaps they should get the Doc before the Stevens Commission.

Pete Sullivan recently delivered at Cochrane a choice bunch of well finished steers, which we are told brought top prices.

Pete sure knows how to finish them as well as pitch horseshoes.

Jack Harrison, the cattle buyer, is making his rounds in a brand new latest model Dodge car. Pretty good for a man who is always losing money on cattle deals.

Lake Parsons is busy drilling a well for Jack Stevenson.

The Ladies Aid held their regular meeting Thursday, March 21 at the home of Mrs. Andy Spence. The afternoon was spent in looking over rugs for the next bazaar.

We understand that the Summit Hill district is going to have a baseball team this summer, and as soon as spring work is done they will be ready to take on all comers.

**ALBERTA YOUNG LIBERAL CONFERENCE**

Of interest to the young people of this community is the announcement of the Young Liberal Club Conference to be held in Calgary on the 26 and 27 of April. The Calgary Young Liberal Club extend an invitation to all young people from 21 to 40, who are interested, to attend.

A later announcement will give detailed information; in the mean time, advise anyone interested to get in touch with Evan Gordon.

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